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# **Updated Elementary Surveillance and Enhanced Surveillance text in ED-73C, Chapter 3**

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# **SUMMARY**

This Working Paper presents Updates to Elementary Surveillance, Enhanced Surveillance and Generic Requirements previously provided in WG49-12-12 Rev10 by Eric Potier.

[(WG49N12-12) ELS and EHS in chapter 3 of ED73v10\_rhs\_x1B]

# **Approach and general comments**

- a. First, Review WG49N13-XXRev\_A which represents file (WG49N12-12) ELS and EHS in chapter 3 of ED73v10\_rhs\_x1A and aligns with changes made in parallel in WG49N13-YYRev\_A which represents file DO-181D-v1-1\_eric\_rhs\_x1A.
- b. Then, Review this WG49N13-XXRev\_B which represents file (WG49N12-12) ELS and EHS in chapter 3 of ED73v10\_rhs\_x1B and aligns with changes made in parallel in WG49N13-YYRev\_B which represents file DO-181D-v1-1\_eric\_rhs\_x1B.
- c. The changes made in this Rev\_B file and those made in DO-181D-v1-1\_eric\_rhs\_x1B bring the two documents into close agreement in regards to ELS, EHS, and Generic requirements
- d. Note that this document does not address updates to the test procedures previously provided in RTCA DO-181D v1-1. Such test procedure update is only now starting and not expected to be completed before the Cologne WG-49 Meeting in November. If such procedures are completed, then they will not be available until a day or so before the Cologne meeting. More than likely, such procedures will not be available until the RTCA SC-209 Meeting in December.



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# **EUROCAE WG-49**

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# Proposed Elementary Surveillance and Enhanced Surveillance text in chapter 3

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# **SUMMARY**

This Working Paper proposes to combine generic and specific requirements for ELS and EHS in ED73 chapter 3.29 and 3.30.

- a) The text of this WP is based on the text proposed within DO181D v1.1.
- b) The approach used was to adopt a common approach and structure for describing the requirements. The approach is those used in proposed DO text for EHS, i.e., a presentation per register. This approach has been kept for EHS and has also been used for ELS.

In order to keep the possible reference to the requirements as a per register basis and to keep the same testing approach there is, at the end of each register used for ELS, a section pointing to what need to be done to report servicing of the register and any actions required when there is a change (eg broadcast of register 10).

The following structure has been adopted between the different registers:

- Purpose and definition,
- Data requirements
- Update
- Servicing (make reference to servicing and capability reporting in register 10,17,18,...)
- Change protocol when applicable

SC209 is invited to consider such common approach which facilitates the verification of the completeness of the requirements while keeping also a reading per function/register to keep the same testing approach.

- c) When a requirement is defined in ELS and in EHS it is described in ELS and referenced in EHS section. This is proposed because EHS transponders are ELS and not vice versa.
- d) When there is a list of requirements SC 209 is asked to consider to add a summary at the beginning to have quick understanding of for example which bits are managed in a register.
- e) The text contains reference to DO181 rev1.1 with hyperlink for easier comparison.

# Summary of main differences between Do proposed text and ED proposed text

# Main differences between DO181 and ED73 proposed ELS requirements

	Subject	Level of importance for discussion with SC209
ELS1	Introductory text under 3.29	Low, only presentation issue to facilitate quick understanding of requirements
ELS2	Add a paragraph to cover requirements	Important content to be discussed:
	about content of register 10 to cover:  + BDS code (To be added)  Mode S subnetwork version (may be only a pointer to the last paragraph in DO ELS)  + Bit25 (minimum requirement to not	1- to agree that requirements shall be first described in ELS and EHS sections to make reference to ELS for requirements already covered in ELS
	set it when only register 20 is supported to be added) Bit33 (May be just a pointer as already covered in Do 2.2.24.3.5.1) + Bit 35 (important to be described here rather than to point to EHS as currently done in Do 2.2.24.2.2) +Bit 36 + Update rate + Change reporting  (see ED proposal)	2- to agree where to put these requirements  - To cover missing requirements within already existing section DO 2.2.24.3.5.1 under Flight Id and ac registration  -Create new section to only cover missing requirements  - Create new section covering all register 10 requirements and replace text under Flight Id and ac registration by pointers to register 18 paragraphs (see ED73 proposed text 3.29.3)
ELS3	Remove reference to 24 bit aircraft address when speaking about aircraft registration for bits in register 17 (DO 2.2.24.3.5.2.1)	low, only improvement to avoid confusion
ELS4	Add a section to cover requirements on register 18-!c which are not covered under Flight identification and aircraft registration requirements	To discuss different options to cover missing register 18 requirements:  - To cover missing requirements within already existing section DO 2.2.24.3.5.3 under Flight Id and ac registration  -Create new section to only cover missing requirements  - Create new section covering all register 18 requirements and replace text under Flight Id and ac registration by pointers to register 18 paragraphs (see ED73 proposed text 3.29.5)
ELS4	Addition of a section listing all requirements about register 18-1C: + bit 41 for register 10 + bit 34 for register 17 + bit 33 for register 18	To be discussed as bits 41 ,34 and 33 are not covered within current version of DO181 To discuss where to put these requirement in DO (a specific section or witin section related to aircraft id)
ELS5	Rewording of "power-on cycle" which is confusing for some people	Low but recommended
ELS6	Introductory text on Aircraft identification (see ED 3.29.6.1 red text)	To be discussed and improved to avoid confusion (see long discussion in WG49)
ELS2	General presentation ED73 has followed the same approach than DO181 EHS section i.e., per register	To be discussed

# Main differences between DO181 and ED73 proposed EHS requirements

	Subject	Level of importance for discussion with SC209
EHS1	Introductory text under 3.30	Low, only presentation issue to facilitate quick
	,	understanding of requirements
EHS2	Add paragraphs in declaration of capability	to be discussed (see ED 3.30.1.2)
	in Register 10 to cover:	
	+ BDS code	
	+ Mode S subnetwork version + Bit 35	
	+ Bit 36	
	All only pointing to corresponding ELS	
	sections)	
ELS3	Remove status bit management in register	To be removed as it is confusing
	10 (see EHS 2.2.25.1.4)	
EHS4	Incorporate a summary of which bits are to be	Low, only presentation issue to facilitate quick
FUCE	managed in register 17 and 18-1C	understanding of requirements
EHS5	Use servicing in place of receiving for bits in register 17	to be discussed to avoid confusion and wrong implementation
EHS6	Add a paragraph at the end of register 17 to	to be discussed
	point to bit 36 management when register	10 00 00000
	17 changes	
EHS7	In register 18:	to be discussed
	add bit corresponding to Register 10	
	(pointer to ELS);	
	replace text for register 18 by a pointer to corresponding section as it is already a	
	requirement for ELS	
	requirement for LLO	
EHS8	In register 18:	To be taken into account as it is misleading
	To remove bullet c) in Minimum update	_
	interval and possibly to replace it by	
FUO	proposed text in ED	
EHS9	DO 2.2.25 (register 1d) after register 18-1C to get register described in numerical order	Low, only presentation issue
	to get register described in numerical order	
EHS10	Correct title register 40 to be compliant with	To be taken into account (easy)
	latest version of ICAO document	, , , , , ,
EHS11	Add requirement about 2's complement	To be taken into account (I have already
	coding in signed field in register 50 and 60	received several times questions on this
EUC40	Change title of register 60 register rate by	subject)
EHS12	Change title of register 60 replace rate by velocity to be in line with ICAO	To be taken into account (easy)
EHS13	Small proposed wording changes in all	Low
	sections	<del></del>
EHS14	To clarify requirement on register 5F	Important
	Optional or implicitly required (see note in	
	DO181 2.2.25.6)	
EHS14	To consider generic requirement (3.30.9) for	To be discussed
	any other implemented registers	

# **ED MOPS section 3**

# 3 Minimum performance specification standard test conditions

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3.22	LEVEL 1 TRANSPONDER
3.23	LEVEL2 TRANSPONDER (DATA LINK)
3.24	LEVEL3 TRANSPONDER (UPLINK ELM CAPABILITY)
3.25	LEVEL4 TRANSPONDER (DOWNLINK ELM CAPABILITY)
3.26	LEVEL5 TRANSPONDER (ENHANCED DATA LINK CAPABILITY)
3.27	ACAS-COMPATIBLE MODE S TRANSPONDER
3.28	EXTENDED SQUITTER COMPLIANT TRANSPONDER

#### 3.29 ELEMENTARY SURVEILLANCE (ELS) COMPLIANT TRANSPONDER

Elementary Surveillance has been defined as a functional capability necessary to support airspace operations in European airspace.

- a. As a minimum, the transponder shall be a Level 2 transponder in accordance with section 3.23 in order to support implementation of Elementary Surveillance functions.
- b. The following subparagraphs summarize the functional aspects necessary to implement Elementary Surveillance.
  - **Note:** The following subparagraphs do not declare actual requirements (e.g. "shall" statements). Such actual requirements are specified in subsequent subsections in order to establish traceability. The following subparagraphs are intended to introduce the Elementary Surveillance needs in order to improve understanding of the actual requirements provided in subsequent subsections.
  - (1) Flight status reporting (FS) as described in §3.18.4.12. The Mode S transponder is capable of automatically acquiring the on-the-ground status as described in §3.22.2.7
    - Commentary RHS: Section 3.22.27 of ED-73B has not been updated with ground status over-ride logic as has been done with DO-181D section 2.2.18.2.7.c. Recommend that it be updated accordingly.
  - (2) Barometric pressure altitude reporting as described in §3.17.1.b.
  - (3) CA as specified in §3.18.4.5 and §3.23.1.7 (i.e., Greater than 3)
    - Commentary RHS: Could not find any reference regarding CA in section 3.23 other than in 3.23.1.7.; therefore, WG-49 need to verify if this is the correct intended reference and to provide cross reference to DO-181D if possible.
  - (4) II and SI code as defined in section §3.21a and further details in section §3.29.2.
    - Commentary RHS: Section 3.21a??? makes no reference to II or SI. WG-49 needs to clarify reference. Section 3.29.2 is ok.
  - (5) Declaration of capability in register 10<sub>16</sub> as described in section §3.23.1.12.e.(3) and further detailed in 3.29.3
  - (6) Aircraft register 17<sub>16</sub> as defined in §3.29.4
  - (7) Aircraft registers 18<sub>16</sub> {-through- 1C<sub>16</sub>} as defined in §3.29.5
  - (8) Flight identification reporting in register 20<sub>16</sub> as detailed §3.23.1.13 and further detailed in §3.29.6.
  - (9) As an option, Aircraft register 21<sub>16</sub>.
- c. In addition, the Mode S transponder must be capable of ACAS operation in accordance with all requirements defined in  $\S 3.27$ . In particular, the transponder reports ACAS capability and version in register  $10_{16}$  as well as the RA Report in register  $30_{16}$ .

**Note:** For the remaining subsections of this section, servicing of a field or subfield in a register implies that valid data has been received at a sufficient rate to meet the update requirements specified for the given register in Appendix B.

# 3.29.1 Ground Initiated Comm B

Mode S Transponder **shall** support extraction of registers 10<sub>16</sub>, 17<sub>16</sub>, 18<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, and 20<sub>16</sub> using the GICB protocol in accordance with §3.23.1.12b.

**Note 1:** Servicing register 21<sub>16</sub> is optional.

Note 2: In general, a level 2 ELS capable transponder replies to all GICB register extraction request (see §3.23.1.12.b). If the requested register is not serviced by the transponder, then the "MB" field of the transponder reply contains All ZERO's.

# 3.29.2 Surveillance Identifier ("SI") Code Requirements

Mode S Transponders support the requirements of Interrogator codes (II and SI) in accordance with all the following sections of this document.

- §3.18.4.9 "DI" Designator, Identification Field,
- §3.18.4.15 "II" Interrogator Identification Field
- §3.18.4.27, "PI" Parity / Interrogator Identity
- §3.18.4.33 "SD" Special Designator and "IIS", Subfield in "SD"
- §3.18.4.7 "CL" Code Label
- §3.18.4.13 "IC" Interrogator Code
- §3.18.4.34 "SI" Surveillance Identifier
- §3.20.2.1 Basic Mode-S Error Protection
- §3.20.3.5 "Multisite Lockout Protocol"
- §3.20.2.1 "All-Call Reply Protocol"
- §3.28.1 "Extended Squitter Format"

Note: Item in regards to Extended Squitter" is included herein since the "SI" field must be set to "0" in generating the "PI" field in accordance with §3.18.4.27.

# 3.29.3 Declaration of Capability in Register 10<sub>16</sub> - Data Link Capability Report

# 3.29.3.1 Purpose and definition

Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be formatted as specified in Appendix B table B-3-16 and associated notes.

**Note:** The following paragraphs detail the minimum requirement for Elementary Surveillance. The other fields need to be managed according to the additional capabilities supported by the transponder.

# 3.29.3.2 Data requirements

#### 3.29.3.2.1 Bit 1 to 8, BDS Code

Bits 1 –through- 8 of register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be encoded with 1,0 (the BDS code).

**Note:** The setting of the BDS code by the transponder ensures that a broadcast change of the capability report will contain the BDS code for all cases of data link failure (e.g., the loss of the transponder data link interface)

#### 3.29.3.2.2 Bit 17 to 23. Declaration of Mode-S Subnetwork Version Number

Bits 17 –through- 23 of register  $10_{16}$  shall be encoded with the Mode-S Subnetwork Version Number.

Note: Mode-S Subnetwork Version matches with the edition of ICAO Annex 10 Amendment.

To be consistent with Elementary (and Enhanced) surveillance requirements the Mode-S Subnetwork version shall be "3" or higher.

# 3.29.3.2.3 Bit25, Declaration of No Mode S Specific Services Capability

Bit 25 of Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall not be set to "1" when reporting only Aircraft Identification in register 20<sub>16</sub> when no other Mode S Specific Services are supported by the transponder.

**Note:** When bit 25 is set to 1, it indicates that at least one Mode S specific service is supported other capability reports need to be checked in order to determine which registers are supported. Mode S Specific Service refers to the servicing of registers other than GICB services related to Registers 02<sub>16</sub>, 03<sub>16</sub>, 04<sub>16</sub>, 10<sub>16</sub>, 17<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, 20<sub>16</sub> and 30<sub>16</sub>.

# 3.29.3.2.4 Bit 33, Aircraft identification Reporting capability

Servicing of Register 20<sub>16</sub> requires the updating of Register 10<sub>16</sub> as follows:

a. Register 10<sub>16</sub> (Data Link Capability Report) bit 33 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is receiving any data from the Aircraft installation with which to service Register 20<sub>16</sub> with Flight Identification or Aircraft Registration data as provided in the respective sections for each BDS register in the subsequent sections of this document.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 20<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 20<sub>16</sub>.

b. Register 10<sub>16</sub> (Data Link Capability Report) bit 33 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 20<sub>16</sub>.

<u>Note:</u> When bit 33 of Register 1016 is changed, the change is broadcast as required in §3.23.1.12.e.(3) and further defined in §3.29.4.

# 3.29.3.2.5 Bit 35, Surveillance Identifier Code (SI)

The bit 35 of register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be set to 1 to indicate that the transponder support SI code.

**Note:** SI code support is a mandatory capability for all transponders.

# 3.29.3.2.6 Bit 36 - Common Usage GICB Capability Report

- a) Register 10<sub>16</sub> (Data Link Capability Report) bit 36 shall be toggled (i.e., changed from "0" to "1", or from "1" to "0") each time that the Common Usage GICB Capability Report (Register 17<sub>16</sub>) is changed.
- b) To avoid the generation of too many broadcast capability report changes, Register 17<sub>16</sub> shall be sampled at approximately one minute intervals to check for changes that may require the toggling of bit 36 as discussed in subparagraph "a."

# 3.29.3.3 Minimum Update interval

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is ≤4.0 seconds.

**Note:** Effectively, Register 10<sub>16</sub> must be updated every 4.0 seconds or sooner.

- b) Register 10<sub>16</sub> **shall** be updated within one second of the data changing and at least every four seconds thereafter.
- c) If particular data field in Register 10<sub>16</sub> cannot be updated within 8.0 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of ≤4.0 seconds), then the data field **shall** be ZEROed.

# 3.29.3.4 Change reporting

When Register **10**<sub>16</sub> changes it **shall** be broadcast as described in §3.23.1.12.e(3).

# 3.29.4 Register 17<sub>16</sub>, Common Usage GICB Capability Report

# 3.29.4.1 Purpose and definition

The format of register 17<sub>16</sub> **shall** be formatted as specified in Appendix B table B-3-23 and associated notes.

<u>Note:</u> The purpose of register 17<sub>16</sub> is to indicate which registers are currently supported by the aircraft installation, i.e., currently contain data useable for operational use.

Elementary Surveillance transponder manages the following bits of register 17<sub>16</sub>:

- a) Bit 7 to indicate servicing of Register 20<sub>16</sub>,
- b) Bit 8 to indicate servicing of Optional Register 21<sub>16</sub>.

#### 3.29.4.2 Data requirements

#### 3.29.4.2.1 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 20<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 7 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is servicing Aircraft Identification (either Flight Identification as specified in the Flight Plan or Aircraft Registration, refer to §3.23.1.13) data in the Aircraft installation.

<u>Note:</u> This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 20<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 20<sub>16</sub>.

b) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 7 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no Aircraft identification data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to service Register 20<sub>16</sub>.

# 3.29.4.2.2 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with optional Register 21<sub>16</sub>

**Note:** Elementary Surveillance does not require that Register 21<sub>16</sub> be serviced. However, if Register 21<sub>16</sub> is serviced, the following subparagraphs need to be complied with.

a) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 8 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is receiving Aircraft Registration data in the Aircraft installation.

<u>Note:</u> This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 21<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 21<sub>16</sub>.

b) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 8 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 21<sub>16</sub>

# 3.29.4.3 Register 17<sub>16</sub> Change reporting

Whenever the contents of Register 17<sub>16</sub> change, bit 36 of Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be toggled as defined in §3.29.3.2.6.

#### 3.29.5 Register 18<sub>16</sub> -to- 1C<sub>16</sub>, Mode S Specific Services Capability Reports

# 3.29.5.1 Purpose and Definition

The Mode-S transponder **shall** format Register 18<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-24 -through- Table B-3-28 and associated notes for Register 18<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, respectively.

**Note 1:** Registers 18<sub>16</sub> to 1C<sub>16</sub> are used to indicate the capability of the aircraft installation to provide data for each register i.e. the register or a part of the register is managed by the transponder and it is known that data can be received from the installation to fill this field.

Note 2: This is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to service the corresponding register. Once this capability is established it remains set until power-off of the transponder.

Transponders that support Elementary Surveillance (ELS) manage:

- Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 41 to indicate that the installation has the capability the capability to provide data in Register 10<sub>16</sub>,
- Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 34 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 17<sub>16</sub>,
- Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 33 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 18<sub>16</sub>,
- Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 25 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 20<sub>16</sub>,
- Optionally, Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 24 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 21<sub>16</sub>.

- Note 3: Although not a function of Elementary Surveillance, Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 9 is set when the transponder is interfaced with TCAS to indicate that the ACAS Active Resolution Advisory Register 30<sub>16</sub> is supported (see §3.27).
- **Note 4:** Elementary Surveillance only requires that Register 18<sub>16</sub> be serviced; Therefore, if no other transponder functions require the servicing of Register 19<sub>16</sub> –through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, these registers will be set to ALL ZERO.

#### 3.29.5.2 Data requirements

# 3.29.5.2.1 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 10<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 41 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is required to service any part of Register 10<sub>16</sub>.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 17<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data of which processing would result in the need to update Register 17<sub>16</sub>.

b) Once Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 41 has been set to ONE (1) during a particular power-on cycle, then it **shall** remain set to ONE (1) **until power-off** of the transponder.

#### 3.29.5.2.2 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 17<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 34 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is required to service any part of Register 17<sub>16</sub> as provided in §3.29.4.

Note: This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 17<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data of which processing would result in the need to update Register 17<sub>16</sub>.

- b) Once Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 34 has been set to ONE (1) during a particular power-on cycle, then it **shall** remain set to ONE (1) **until power-off** of the transponder.
- c) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 34 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could result in the need to service Register 17<sub>16</sub> as provided in §3.29.4.

# 3.29.5.2.3 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 18<sub>16</sub>

 Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 33 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is required to service any part of Register 18<sub>16</sub>.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 18<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data of which processing would result in the need to update Register 18<sub>16</sub>.

- b) Once Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 33 has been set to ONE (1) during a particular power-on cycle, then it **shall** remain set to ONE (1) **until power-off** of the transponder.
- c) Register  $18_{16}$  bit 33 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could result in the need to service Register  $18_{16}$

# 3.29.5.2.4 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 20<sub>16</sub>

- a) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 25 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder has received either Aircraft Identification (also referred to as Flight Identification as specified in the Flight Plan) or Aircraft Registration data in the Aircraft Installation since the power-on of the transponder.
- b) Once Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 25 has been set to ONE (1), then it shall remain set to ONE (1) until power-off of the transponder.

c) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 25 shall be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder has received no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 20<sub>16</sub> since power-on of the transponder.

# 3.29.5.2.5 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with optional Register 21<sub>16</sub>

**Note:** Elementary Surveillance does not require that Register 21<sub>16</sub> be serviced. However, if Register 21<sub>16</sub> is serviced, the following subparagraphs need to be complied with.

a) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 24 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder has received Aircraft Registration data in the Aircraft Installation since the power-on of the transponder.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 21<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 21<sub>16</sub>.

- b) Once Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 24 has been set to ONE (1) {during a particular power-on cycle}, then it shall remain set to ONE (1) until power-off of the transponder.
- c) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 24 shall be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder has received no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 21<sub>16</sub> since power-on of the transponder.

# 3.29.5.3 Minimum Update Interval of Register 18<sub>16</sub> -to- 1C<sub>16</sub>

- a) The minimum update interval at which Register 18<sub>16</sub> (and/or Register 19<sub>16</sub> –to- 1C<sub>16</sub> if implemented) **shall** be reloaded with valid data is **5.0** seconds. i.e., Register **18<sub>16</sub>** (and/or Register 19<sub>16</sub> –to- 1C<sub>16</sub> if implemented) **shall** be updated at least once every **5.0** seconds.
- b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 18<sub>16</sub> (and/or Register 19<sub>16</sub> –to- 1C<sub>16</sub> if implemented) and the time that the change is made to Register 18<sub>16</sub> (and/or Register 19<sub>16</sub> –to- 1C<sub>16</sub> if implemented) **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified as **5.0** seconds.
- c) The setting of bits in Register 18<sub>16</sub> –to- 1C<sub>16</sub> is static. If a bit has been set to ONE (1) in one of these registers since power-on of the transponder, then the bit shall remain set to ONE (1) until power-off of the transponder.

# 3.29.6 Register 20<sub>16</sub> - Aircraft Identification and Data Sources

# 3.29.6.1 Purpose and definition

The Mode-S transponder **shall** format register  $20_{16}$  as defined in Appendix B, Table **B-3-32** and associated notes.

- Note 1: ICAO Annex 10, Volume IV requires that the aircraft identification to be used is that employed in the flight plan. When no flight plan is available, the registration marking is used if available, otherwise the aircraft identification is set to ALL ZERO's,
- Note 2: On aircraft, it is possible to have access to data from an interface where the pilot can enter the data that is employed in the flight plan. This could be the telephony designator of the aircraft operating agency, followed by the flight identification or the registration marking of the aircraft. This piece of information is considered as variable data and the transponder cannot know what is really entered by the pilot (depending on operational procedure). This piece of information is named "Flight Identification" within the rest of this section. In ARINC, it is normally provided via ARINC Labels 233 -through- 237 or by Label 360 for block transfer data.

In addition on some platforms it is also possible to receive another piece of data which is the registration marking (tail number). This is considered as a fixed data which does not vary during the flight. This piece of information can only be used when there is no data coming from the interface delivering the variable data. This is referenced as "Aircraft Registration' within the rest of this section.

# 3.29.6.2 Register 20<sub>16</sub> -- Data Requirements

#### 3.29.6.2.1 Data Selection Priority

Use of **Flight Identification** (§3.17.1.b.5) or **Aircraft Registration** Data (§3.17.1.a.3) in register 20<sub>16</sub> **shall** comply with the following:

a) If Flight Identification data is available at anytime during unit operation, then flight identification data **shall** be inserted into the character subfields of Register **20**<sub>16</sub>.

Note: Flight Identification data is normally provided via ARINC Labels 233 -through-237 or by Label 360 for block transfer data.

b) If Flight Identification data is **NOT** available then Aircraft Registration, if available, **shall** be inserted into the character subfields of Register **20**<sub>16</sub>.

**Note:** If the transponder has no input from the Aircraft installation that could be used to service Register 20<sub>16</sub>, then the Register 20<sub>16</sub> Character subfields are set to ZERO (0) and Register 10<sub>16</sub> (Datal Link Capability Report) bit 33 is set to ZERO (0).

- c) If Flight Identification data has been entered into Register 20<sub>16</sub> and then becomes NOT available, then the character subfields of the registers shall be set to all ZERO's
- d) In all of the above cases, encoding of the character subfields in Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall conform to the following:
  - (1) All characters will be left justified prior to encoding the Character fields.
  - (2) Characters will be coded consecutively without intervening SPACE codes.
  - (3) Any unused character spaces at the end of the subfield should contain a SPACE character code.
  - (4) Any extra characters shall be truncated.

# 3.29.6.3 Flight Identification Update Rates

a) The minimum update rate at which Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is 5.0 seconds.

**Note:** Effectively, Register **20**<sub>16</sub> must be updated every **5.0** seconds or sooner.

- b) If Register **20**<sub>16</sub> cannot be updated within a **10.0** second timeframe (i.e., twice the specified minimum update rate of **5.0** seconds), then: {presentation change}
  - (1) the contents of the character field of Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall be set to ZERO (0) and:
  - (2) Bit 7 of register 17<sub>16</sub> shall be set to ZERO (0).
  - (3) Bit 33 of register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be set to ZERO (0).
  - (4).Bit 25 of Register 18<sub>16</sub> **shall** not change state if Register 20<sub>16</sub> has been properly serviced during the power-on cycle. If Register 20<sub>16</sub> has not been properly serviced during the power-on cycle, then bit 25 of Register 18<sub>16</sub> must be verified as being set to ZERO (0) (see §3.29.5.1 and §3.29.5.2.4).
- c) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 20<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall be less than the minimum update rate specified as 5.0 seconds.

**Note:** The time between establishing availability of data and the time of updating Register **20**<sub>16</sub> should be minimized (e.g., data latency should be minimized).

#### 3.29.6.4 Aircraft Identification Declaration of capability

Aircraft Identification Capability of the transponder shall be declared as provided in the following subsections.

# 3.29.6.4.1 In Register 10<sub>16</sub> – Data Link Capability Report

The correct servicing of the character fields of Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall be reported in Register 10<sub>16</sub> bit 33 as defined in §3.29.3.2.4.

# 3.29.6.4.2 In Register 17<sub>16</sub> – Common Usage GICB Capability Report

The correct servicing of the character fields of Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall be reported in Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 33 as defined in §3.29.4.2.1.

#### 3.29.6.4.3 In Register 18<sub>16</sub> – Common Usage GICB Capability Report

The capability to report aircraft identification in the character fields of Register 20<sub>16</sub> shall be reported in Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 25 as defined in §3.29.5.2.4.

#### 3.29.6.5 Change reporting

If the aircraft identification reported in the "AIS" subfield is changed, then the transponder **shall** report the new aircraft identification in accordance with §3.23.1.13 by use of the Comm-B Broadcast Message protocol (see §3.23. 1.12.d).

#### 3.29.7 Register 21<sub>16</sub> - Aircraft Registration (Optional)

<u>Note:</u> Elementary Surveillance does not require that Register 21<sub>16</sub> be serviced. However, if Register 21<sub>16</sub> is serviced, the following subparagraphs need to be complied with.

#### 3.29.7.1 Purpose and definition

The Mode-S transponder **shall** format register 21<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table **B-3-33** and associated notes.

# 3.29.7.2 Register 21<sub>16</sub> - Data requirements

a) If valid Aircraft Registration data is available, then the data shall be used to fill the Characters of bits 1 -through- 43 field in Register 21<sub>16</sub>, "Aircraft and Airline Registration Markings" as shown in Appendix B, Table B-3-33.

**Note:** Aircraft Registration data is normally provided via ARINC Labels 301 -through- 303 or by Label 360 for block transfer data. Available data means that the status of the data is not set to No Computed Data (NCD).

- b) There is currently no method to provide the transponder with ICAO Airline Registration marking. Therefore, bits 44 -through- 56 of Register 21<sub>16</sub> **shall** be set to zero.
- c) When Register 21<sub>16</sub> is being serviced with Aircraft Registration data, then Register 21<sub>16</sub> shall be available for GICB Extractions in accordance with §3.29.1.

# 3.29.7.3 Register 21<sub>16</sub> – Update Rates

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 21<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is 15.0 seconds.

**Note:** Register 21<sub>16</sub> is updated every **15.0** seconds or sooner.

- b) If Register 21<sub>16</sub> cannot be updated within a 30.0 second timeframe (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 15.0 seconds), then the contents of Register 21<sub>16</sub> shall be set to ZERO and:
  - (1) Bit 24 of Register 18<sub>16</sub> **shall** not change state if Register 21<sub>16</sub> has been properly serviced **since power-on** of the transponder. If Register 21<sub>16</sub> has not been properly serviced **since power-on** of the transponder, then bit 24 of Register 18<sub>16</sub> must be verified as being set to ZERO.
- c. The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 21<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 21<sub>16</sub> shall be less than the minimum update interval specified as 15.0 seconds.

**Note:** The time between establishing availability of data and the time of updating Register 21<sub>16</sub> should be minimized (e.g., data latency should be minimized).

# 3.29.7.4 Register 21<sub>16</sub>- declaration of capability

# 3.29.7.4.1 In Register 17<sub>16</sub> – Common Usage GICB Capability Report

The correct servicing of at least one field in Register  $21_{16}$  is reported in Register  $17_{16}$  bit 8 as defined in § 3.29.4.2.2.

# 3.29.7.4.2 In Register 18<sub>16</sub> – Mode S Specific Services Capability Report

The capability to service at least one field in Register  $21_{16}$  is reported in Register  $18_{16}$  bit 24 as defined in § 3.29.5.2.5.

#### 3.30 ENHANCED SURVEILLANCE (EHS) COMPLIANT TRANSPONDER

**(General** removed to try to keep same numbering as DO-181)

The EUROCONTROL ATM 2000+ Strategy confirmed that Enhanced Surveillance (EHS) was essential to safely enable additional traffic growth.

This section contains requirements on Mode S transponders required to support EHS.

The Enhanced Surveillance application entails the use of eight Downlink Aircraft Parameters (DAPs) for initial implementation, as follows:

- Magnetic Heading
- Indicated Airspeed and/or Mach No.
- Vertical Rate (climb/descend)
- MCP/FCU Selected Altitude
- Ground Speed
- Roll Angle
- Track Angle Rate (or True Airspeed if Track Angle Rate is not available)
- True Track Angle

These DAPS are embedded in three transponder registers (40<sub>16</sub>, 50<sub>16</sub>, 60<sub>16</sub>).

In addition to those three registers, the Enhanced Surveillance application uses a number of capability report registers to assess the real time ability of the aircraft to transmit DAPs. The format requirements related to the Enhanced Surveillance application for these capability registers are defined in sections §3.30.1 through §3.30.4.

The Enhanced Surveillance application presents the following benefits:

- The provision of actual aircraft derived data, such as Magnetic Heading, Air Speed, Selected Altitude and Vertical Rate, enables controllers to reduce the radio telephony (RT) workload and better assess the separation situations.
- EHS enables Monitoring Tools and Safety Nets, which work on actual data, to be implemented or improved (e.g., Short Term Conflict Alert) which, in turn, will allow safety levels to be maintained or improved despite the increase in traffic levels.

Transponder capable of supporting EHS must:

- a) support ELS as defined in §3.29.
- b) at least be able to provide data in register 40<sub>16</sub>, 50<sub>16</sub>, 60<sub>16</sub>.
- c) support capability reporting in CA and register 10<sub>16</sub> to 1F<sub>16</sub>.

**Note 1:** Servicing register  $5F_{16}$  is not mandatory.

Note 2: For the remaining subsections of this section, servicing of a field or subfield in a register implies that valid data has been received at a sufficient rate to meet the update requirements specified for the given register in Appendix B.

# 3.30.1 Register 10<sub>16</sub> - Data link capability report

#### 3.30.1.1 Purpose and definition

Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be formatted as specified in Appendix B table B-3-16.

**Note:** The following paragraphs detail the minimum requirement for Enhanced Surveillance. The other fields need to be managed according to the additional capabilities supported by the transponder.

#### 3.30.1.2 Data requirements

# 3.30.1.2.1 Bits 1 to 8, BDS code

Bits 1 —through- 8 of register  $10_{16}$  are defined in Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder §3.29.3.2.1 .

#### 3.30.1.2.2 Bits 17-23, Mode S Subnetwork Version Number

Bit 17 -through- 23 (Mode S subnetwork version) of Register  $10_{16}$  are defined in Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder §3.29.3.2.2.

# 3.30.1.2.3 Bit 25, Mode S Specific Services Capability

- a) Register 10<sub>16</sub> (Data Link Capability Report) bit 25 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is receiving any data from the Aircraft installation with which to service Registers 1D<sub>16</sub> –through-1F<sub>16</sub>, 40<sub>16</sub>, 50<sub>16</sub> or 60<sub>16</sub> (or other registers) as provided in the respective sections for each register in this document.
  - Note 1: Registers 1D<sub>16</sub> -through- 1F<sub>16</sub> are included above in order to provide for possible declaration of capability to provide Dataflash or other Mode Specific Protocol capability.
  - Note 2: This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Registers  $1D_{16}$  -through-  $1F_{16}$ ,  $40_{16}$ ,  $50_{16}$ ,  $5F_{16}$  (Optional) or  $60_{16}$ . Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Registers  $1D_{16}$  -through-  $1F_{16}$ ,  $40_{16}$ ,  $50_{16}$ ,  $5F_{16}$  (Optional) or  $60_{16}$ .
- b) Register 10<sub>16</sub> (Data Link Capability Report) bit 25 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service either Registers 1D<sub>16</sub> -through- 1F<sub>16</sub>, 40<sub>16</sub>, 50<sub>16</sub>, 5F<sub>16</sub> (Optional), 60<sub>16</sub> or any other registers other than 02<sub>16</sub>, 03<sub>16</sub>, 04<sub>16</sub>, 10<sub>16</sub>, 17<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, 20<sub>16</sub> and 30<sub>16</sub>.
- c) When bit 25 is set to ONE (1), it **shall** indicate that at least one Mode S Specific Service is supported.

**Note:** Mode S Specific Service refers to the servicing of registers other than GICB services related to Registers 02<sub>16</sub>, 03<sub>16</sub>, 04<sub>16</sub>, 10<sub>16</sub>, 17<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, 20<sub>16</sub> and 30<sub>16</sub>.

#### 3.30.1.2.4 Bit 35, Surveillance Identifier Code (SI)

Bit 35 of Register  $10_{16}$  is set to ONE (1) as defined in Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder §3.29.3.2.5.

#### 3.30.1.2.5 Bit 36, Common Usage GICB Capability Report

Bit 36 of Register 10<sub>16</sub> is managed as specified in Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder §3.29.3.2.6.

#### 3.30.1.3 Minimum Update Interval of Register 10<sub>16</sub>

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is ≤4.0 seconds.

**Note:** Effectively, Register 10<sub>16</sub> must be updated every **4.0** seconds or sooner.

- b) Register 10<sub>16</sub> shall be updated within one second of the data changing and at least every four seconds thereafter.
- c) If a particular data field in Register 10<sub>16</sub> cannot be updated within **8.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of ≤**4.0** seconds, then the data field **shall** be ZEROED.

#### 3.30.1.4 Change reporting

When Register 10<sub>16</sub> changes it **shall** be broadcast as described in §3.23.1.12.e(3).

# 3.30.2 Register 17<sub>16</sub>- Common Usage GICB Capability Report

#### 3.30.2.1 Purpose and definition

The format of Register 17<sub>16</sub> shall be as specified in Appendix B table B-3-23 and associated notes.

The Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder manages the following bits in Register 17<sub>16</sub>.

a) Bit 7 to indicate servicing of Register 20<sub>16</sub> Aircraft Identification as defined in Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder §3.29.4.2.1.

- b) Bit 8 to indicate servicing of Optional Register 2116 Aircraft Registration as defined in (ELS) Compliant Transponder §3.29.4.2.2.
- c) Bit 9 to indicate whether the aircraft installation is servicing any part of Register 40<sub>16</sub> as defined in §3.30.4.2.2.
- d) Bit 16 to indicate whether the aircraft installation is servicing any part of Register  $50_{16}$  as defined in §3.30.4.2.2.
- e) Bit 24 to indicate whether the aircraft installation is servicing any part of Register 60<sub>16</sub> as defined in §3.30.4.2.2.

# 3.30.2.2 Enhanced Surveillance Servicing Requirements

# 3.30.2.2.1 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 20<sub>16</sub>

Refer to §3.29.4.2.1 where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 20<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

# 3.30.2.2.2 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Optional Register 21<sub>16</sub>

Refer to §2.2.24.4.2.2 where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 21<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

# 3.30.2.2.3 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 40<sub>16</sub>

- a) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 9 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is servicing either MCP/FCU Selected Altitude, FMS Selected Altitude, Barometric Pressure Setting, FMS Vertical Mode (MCP/FCU Mode Bits) or Target Altitude Source data in Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
  - **Note 1:** This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 40<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
  - <u>Note 2:</u> FMS Vertical Mode data refers to data used to establish bits 48 -through- 51 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
  - <u>Note 3:</u> Target Altitude Source data refers to data used to establish bits 54 -through- 56 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
- b) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 9 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 40<sub>16</sub>.

# 3.30.2.2.4 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 50<sub>16</sub>

- a) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit <sub>16</sub> **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is servicing either Roll Angle, True Track Angle, Ground Speed, Track Angle Rate, or True Airspeed data in Register 50<sub>16</sub>.
  - **Note:** This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 50<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 50<sub>16</sub>.
- b) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 16 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 50<sub>16</sub>.

#### 3.30.2.2.5 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Optional Register 5F<sub>16</sub>

- **Note:** Enhanced Surveillance does not require that Register 5F<sub>16</sub> be serviced. However, servicing of Register 5F<sub>16</sub> **is implicitly** required when servicing Register 40<sub>16</sub> in ICAO Doc. 9871 and Appendix B. Therefore, **if** Register 5F<sub>16</sub> is serviced, the following subparagraphs need to be complied with.
  - a) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 23 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is receiving either MCP/FCU Selected Altitude, FMS selected altitude, Barometric Pressure Setting or FMS Vertical Mode (MCP/FCU mode Bits) necessary to update Register 40<sub>16</sub> (see §3.30.5) which then requires that Register 5F<sub>16</sub> be updated in accordance with §3.30.7.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 5F<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 5F<sub>16</sub>.

b) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 23 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 5F<sub>16</sub>.

# 3.30.2.2.6 Required Servicing of Register 17<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 60<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 24 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is servicing either Magnetic Heading, Indicated Airspeed, Mach, Barometric Altitude Rate, or Inertial Vertical Velocity data in Register 60<sub>16</sub>.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the transponder LRU own capability to service Register 60<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 60<sub>16</sub>.

b) Register 17<sub>16</sub> bit 24 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder is receiving no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 60<sub>16</sub>.

#### 3.30.2.2.7 Minimum Update Interval

- a) The minimum update interval at which Register 17<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is **5.0** seconds (i.e., Register 17<sub>16</sub> is be updated at least once every 5.0 seconds).
- b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 17<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 17<sub>16</sub> shall be less than the minimum update interval specified as 5.0 seconds.
- c) If a particular bit in Register **17**<sub>16</sub> cannot be updated within **10.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **5.0** seconds, then the bit **shall** be Zeroed.

# 3.30.2.3 Change Reporting

When Register 17<sub>16</sub> is changed, bit 36 of Register 10<sub>16</sub> is to be toggled as defined in §3.29.3.2.6.

# 3.30.3 Register 18<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub> Mode S Specific Services GICB Capability

# 3.30.3.1 Purpose and definition

The Mode-S transponder **shall** format Register 18<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-24 -through- Table B-3-28 and associated notes for Register 18<sub>16</sub> -through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, respectively.

- **Note 1:** Registers 18<sub>16</sub> to 1C<sub>16</sub> are used to indicate the capability of the aircraft installation to provide data for each register i.e. the register or a part of the register is managed by the transponder and it is known that data can be received from the installation to fill this field.
- <u>Note 2</u>; This is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to service the corresponding register. Once this capability is established it remains set until power-off of the transponder.

Transponders that support Enhanced Surveillance (EHS) manage:

- a) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 41 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 10<sub>16</sub>,
- b) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 34 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 17<sub>46</sub>.
- c) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 33 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 18<sub>16</sub>.
- d) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 32 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 19<sub>16</sub>.
- e) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 25 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 20<sub>16</sub>,
- Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 24 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 21<sub>16</sub> (OPTIONAL),
- g) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 49 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 40<sub>16</sub>,

- Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 33 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 50<sub>16</sub>.
- Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 18 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 5F<sub>16</sub> (OPTIONAL),
- Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 17 to indicate that the installation has the capability to provide data in Register 60<sub>16</sub>,
- **Note 3:** Although not a function of Elementary Surveillance, Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 9 is set when the transponder is interfaced with ACAS to indicate that the ACAS Active Resolution Advisory Register 30<sub>16</sub> is supported..
- Note 4: Combined Elementary and Enhanced Surveillance only require that Register 18<sub>16</sub> and 19<sub>16</sub> be serviced; Therefore, if no other transponder functions require the servicing of Register 1A<sub>16</sub> –through- 1C<sub>16</sub>, these registers will be set to ALL ZERO.

# 3.30.3.2 Enhanced Surveillance Capability requirements

# 3.30.3.2.1 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 10<sub>16</sub>

Refer to §3.29.5.2.1 where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 10<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

# 3.30.3.2.2 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 17<sub>16</sub>

Refer to §3.29.5.2.2 where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 17<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

# 3.30.3.2.3 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 18<sub>16</sub>

Refer to §3.29.5.2.3 where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 18<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

# 3.30.3.2.4 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 19<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 32 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is required to service any part of Register 19<sub>16</sub> as provided in §3.30.3.2.7 through §3.30.3.2.10.

**Note:** This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 19<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data of which processing would result in the need to update Register 19<sub>16</sub>.

- b) Once Register 18<sub>16</sub> bit 32 has been set to ONE (1) **since power-on** of the transponder, then it **shall** remain set to ONE (1) **until power-off** of the transponder.
- c) Register  $18_{16}$  bit 32 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could result in the need to service Register  $19_{16}$  as provided in §3.30.3.2.7 through §3.30.3.2.10.

# 3.30.3.2.5 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 20<sub>16</sub>

Refer to  $\S 3.29.5.2.4$  where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 18<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

#### 3.30.3.2.6 Required Servicing of Register 18<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 21<sub>16</sub> (Optional)

Refer to §3.29.5.2.5 where requirements have previously been provided for servicing Register 18<sub>16</sub> as part of the Elementary Surveillance (ELS) Compliant Transponder.

# 3.30.3.2.7 Required Servicing of Register 19<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 40<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 49 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder has received either MCP/FCU Selected Altitude, FMS Selected Altitude, Barometric Pressure Setting, FMS Vertical Mode (MCP/FCU Mode Bits), or Target Altitude Source data in the Aircraft Installation during the power-on cycle.

(Refer to Appendix B, Table B-3-64 for full definition of Register 40<sub>16</sub>).

- Note 1: This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 40<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
- <u>Note 2:</u> FMS Vertical Mode data refers to data used to establish bits 48 -through- 51 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
- Note 3: Target Altitude Source data refers to data used to establish bits 54 -through- 56 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>.
- b) Once Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 49 has been set to ONE (1) **since power-on** of the transponder, then it **shall** remain set to ONE (1) **until power-off** of the transponder.
- c) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 49 shall be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 40<sub>16</sub> during the power-on cycle.

# 3.30.3.2.8 Required Servicing of Register 19<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 50<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 33 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder has received either Roll Angle, True Track Angle, Ground Speed, Track Angle Rate, or True Airspeed data in the Aircraft installation since during the power-on cycle.

(Refer to Appendix B, Table B-3-80 for full definition of Register 50<sub>16</sub>)

- **Note:** This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 50<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 50<sub>16</sub>.
- b) Once Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 33 has been set to ONE (1) since power-on of the transponder, then it shall remain set to ONE (1) until power-off of the transponder.
- c) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 33 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 50<sub>16</sub> **since power-on** of the transponder.

# 3.30.3.2.9 Required Servicing of Register 19<sub>16</sub> Associated with Optional Register 5F<sub>16</sub>

- **Note:** Enhanced Surveillance does not require that Register  $5F_{16}$  be serviced. However, servicing of Register  $5F_{16}$  **is implicitly** required when servicing Register  $40_{16}$  in ICAO Doc. 9871 and Appendix B. Therefore, **if** Register  $5F_{16}$  is serviced, the following subparagraphs need to be complied with.
- Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 18 shall be set to ONE (1) if the transponder is required to service any part of Register 5F<sub>16</sub> as provided in §a).
  - **Note:** This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 5F<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data of which processing would result in the need to update Register 5F<sub>16</sub>.
- b) Once Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 18 has been set to ONE (1) since power-on of the transponder, then it shall remain set to ONE (1) until power-off of the transponder.
- c) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 18 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could result in the need to service Register 5F<sub>16</sub> as provided in §3.30.7.

# 3.30.3.2.10 Required Servicing of Register 19<sub>16</sub> Associated with Register 60<sub>16</sub>

a) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 17 **shall** be set to ONE (1) if the transponder has received either Magnetic Heading, Indicated Airspeed, Mach, Barometric Altitude Rate, or Inertial Vertical Velocity data in the Aircraft installation during the power-on cycle.

(Refer to Appendix B, Table B-3-96 for full definition of Register 60<sub>16</sub>)

- <u>Note:</u> This requirement is not established by the Transponder LRU own capability to service Register 60<sub>16</sub>. Rather, it is established by the Aircraft installation capability to provide the transponder with the appropriate data with which to then service Register 60<sub>16</sub>.
- b) Once Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 17 has been set to ONE (1) **since power-on** of the transponder, then it shall remain set to ONE (1) **until power-off** of the transponder.
- c) Register 19<sub>16</sub> bit 17 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) if the transponder receives no data from the Aircraft installation that could be used to properly service Register 60<sub>16</sub> **since power-on** of the transponder...

# 3.30.3.3 Minimum Update Interval of registers 18<sub>16</sub> to 1C<sub>16</sub>

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 18<sub>16</sub> and register 19<sub>16</sub> **shall** be reloaded with valid data is **5.0** seconds.

**Note:** Register **18**<sub>16</sub> and 19<sub>16</sub> **are** updated at least once every **5.0** seconds.

- b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 18<sub>16</sub> and/or Register 19<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 18<sub>16</sub> and/or Register 19<sub>16</sub> **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified as **5.0** seconds.
- c) The setting of bits in Register 18<sub>16</sub>—to- 1C<sub>16</sub> is static. If a bit has been set to ONE (1) in one of these registers since power-on of the transponder, then the bit shall remain set to ONE (1) until power-off of the transponder.

# 3.30.4 Register 1D<sub>16</sub> to 1F<sub>16</sub> Mode S Specific Services MSP Capability

- a) Register 1D<sub>16</sub> to 1F<sub>16</sub> shall be formatted as specified in Appendix B Table B-3-29 to B-3-31.
- b) Although, servicing of Register 1D<sub>16</sub> -through- 1F<sub>16</sub> is not required by Enhanced Surveillance, the "MB" field of these registers **shall** be set to ALL ZEROs.

**Note:** There is no formal requirement to implement data-flash however Mode S ground station may systematically extract register 1D<sub>16</sub> to decide to extract a register using GICB protocol or using the data-flash application.

# 3.30.5 Register 40<sub>16</sub> – Selected Vertical Intention

# 3.30.5.1 Purpose and definition

- a) Transponders shall format Register 40<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-64.
- b) The transponder shall comply with all constraints and requirements for servicing Register 40<sub>16</sub> that are provided with Table B-3-64 in Appendix B.

#### 3.30.5.2 Data requirements

# 3.30.5.2.1 Selected Altitude from Altitude Control Panel

- a) The transponder **shall** process Selected Altitude From Altitude Control Panel (Mode Control Panel/Flight Control Unit or equivalent equipment) data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-64 of the Register 40<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 2 -through- 13 of the Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±½ LSB.
- c) Status Bit 1 shall be set to ONE (1) whenever valid data is available in bits 2 -through- 13.
- d) Status Bit 1 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 2 through- 13.
- e) Bits 2 -through- 13 shall be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

#### 3.30.5.2.2 FMS Selected Altitude

a) The transponder **shall** process FMS Selected Altitude data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-64 of the Register  $40_{16}$  definition table and format the data into bits 15 -through- 26 of the Register  $40_{16}$  "MB" field as shown in that table.

- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±½ LSB.
- c) Status Bit 14 **shall** be set to ONE (1) whenever valid FMS Selected Altitude data is available in bits 15 -through- 26.
- d) If FMS Selected Altitude data is not available for insertion into bits 15 -through- 26, Status Bit 14 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).
- e) If FMS Selected Altitude data is not available for insertion into bits 15 -through- 26, bits 15 -through- 26 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

#### 3.30.5.2.3 Barometric Pressure Setting

- a) The transponder shall process Barometric Pressure Setting data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-64 of the Register 40<sub>16</sub> definition table. Further processing of the input Barometric Pressure Setting data is needed as follows:
  - (1) Note that the Barometric Pressure Setting data received may be in BCD format and must be converted to Binary format prior to encoding data into Register 40<sub>16</sub>. Tentative information regarding BCD to Binary Conversion and final mapping of the data into Register 40<sub>16</sub> is provided in the following Note:

<u>Note:</u> Barometric Pressure Setting BCD –to- BINARY Conversion Method Consider an input of 1085.9 millibars in BCD data.

Multiply by 10 to give the BCD count of 0.1 increments needed to represent the input data.

Yields: 10859

10859/2	=	5429	-	1						
5429/2	=	2714	-	1						
2714/2	=	1357	-	0						
1357/2	=	678	-	1						
678/2	=	339	-	0						
339/2	=	169	-	1						
<sub>16</sub> 9/2	=	84	-	1						
84/2	=	42	-	0						
42/2	=	21	-	0						
21/2	=	10	-	1						
10/2	=	5	-	0						
5/2	=	2	-	1						
2/2	=	1	-	0						
1/2	=	0	-	1	==	0010 1010 0110 1011 HEX	==	2A6B HEX	==	10859 Decimal

Start:	0001	0000	1000	0101	1001		10859	BCD
Rotate R:	0000	1000	0100	0010	1100	1		
Add	0000	1101	0000	0000	1101			Add "0D" Hex to each nibble that has the
	0000	0101	0100	0010	1001		05429	MSB of the nibble set to "1". Disregard the Carry
Rotate R:	0000	0010	1010	0001	0100	1		
Add	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>1101</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>			
	0000	0010	0111	20001	0100		02714	
Rotate R:	0000	0001	0011	1000	1010	0		
Add	0000	0000	0000	1101	1101			
	0000	0001	0011	0101	0111		01357	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	1001	1010	1011	1		
Add	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>1101</u>	<u>1101</u>	<u>1101</u>			
	0000	0000	0110	0111	1000		00678	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0011	0011	1100	0		
Add	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>1101</u>			
	0000	0000	0011	0011	1001		00339	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0001	1001	1100	1		
Add	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>1101</u>	<u>1101</u>			
	0000	0000	0001	0110	1001		00169	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	1011	0100	1		
Add	0000	<u>0000</u>	0000	<u>1101</u>	<u>0000</u>			
	0000	0000	0000	1000	0100		00084	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0100	0010	0	00042	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0010	0001	0	00021	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0001	0000	1	00010	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0000	1000			
Add	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	<u>0000</u>	0000	1101			
	0000	0000	0000	0000	0101		00005	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0000	0010	1	00002	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0000	20001	0	00001	
Rotate R:	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	1	00000	

Binary Equivalent == 0010 1010 0110 1011 = 2A6B Hex = 10859 Decimal Next:

Establish Equivalent of 800.0 millibars having 0.1 resolution

Effectively, establish a count of 8000 millibars in binary: The value is 1F40 Hex

Establish 2's Complement of 1F40 Hex as E0C0 Hex.

Now, effectively subtract 8000 from the Binary Equivalent above as follows:

Binary Equivalent = 0010 1010 0110 101 = 2A6B Hex = 10859 Decimal

Add Neg. 800.0 mb = 1110 0000 1100 0000 = E0C0 Hex = -8000 millibars

Resultant Sum: = 0000 1011 0010 1011 = 0B2B Hex = 2859 Decimal

Map the Resultant Data into Bits 28 -through- 39 of Register 40<sub>16</sub> as follows:

	$\mathbf{M}$											L
	$\mathbf{S}$											$\mathbf{S}$
	В											В
Bit:	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	0	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	9
_												
Data:	- 1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	- 1

(2) Note that the encoding that is provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-64 Register 40<sub>16</sub> for Barometric Pressure Setting represents the input Barometric Pressure Setting data MINUS 800 millibars (mb). See Appendix B, Table B-3-64, Register 40<sub>16</sub> definition. Also, note that this 800 millibar correction has been taken into account in the BCD to BINARY conversion performed in the Note given in §3.30.5.2.3.a.(1).

- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be the Barometric Pressure Setting MINUS 800 millibars (mb) that has been converted to BINARY data in a manner that is consistent and equivalent with the BCD -to- BINARY conversion performed in the Note given in §3.30.5.2.3.a.(1).
- c) Status Bit 27 **shall** be set to ONE (1) whenever valid data is available in bits 28 through- 39, and the conditions given in §3.30.5.2.3.d are not applicable.
- d) Status Bit 27 shall be set to ZERO (0) whenever:
  - (1) There is no valid data with which to fill bits 28 -through- 39.
  - (2) The input Barometric Pressure Setting data is less than 800 millibars (mb).

Note: This would result in a negative Barometric Pressure Setting after subtracting 800 millibars (mb) and doing the BCD to BINARY conversion.

- (3). The input Barometric Pressure Setting data is greater than 1209.5 millibars (mb).
- e) Bits 28 -through- 39 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

#### 3.30.5.2.4 FMS Vertical Mode Bits

Note: FMS Vertical Mode bits refer to bits 48 –through- 51 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>.

# 3.30.5.2.4.1 Status of MCP / FCU Mode Bits (Bit 48)

Bit 48 **shall** indicate whether the mode bits (49, 50, and 51) are actively being populated (e.g., set) in Register 40<sub>16</sub> in accordance with the following table:

Table 3.30.5.2.4.1: Status of MCP/FCU Mode Bits (Bit 48) Encoding

Bit 48	Meaning
0	No Mode Information Provided
1	Mode Information Deliberately Provided

Essentially, if information is provided to the transponder to set either bit 49, 50, or 51 to either "0" or "1," then Bit 48 **shall** be set to ONE (1) Otherwise, Bit 48 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

# 3.30.5.2.4.2 Vertical Navigation Mode (Bit 49)

- a) The transponder **shall** accept information from an appropriate interface that indicates whether or not the Vertical Navigation Mode is active.
- b) The transponder **shall** set Bit 49 in accordance with the following table:

Table 3.30.5.2.4.2: Vertical Navigation Mode (Bit 49) Encoding

Bit 49	Meaning
0	VNAV Not Active
1	VNAV Active

c) If appropriate information is not available to indicate whether or not the Vertical Navigation Mode is active, then the transponder **shall** set Bit 49 to ZERO (0).

#### 3.30.5.2.4.3 Altitude Hold (Bit 50)

- a) The transponder shall accept information from an appropriate interface that indicates whether or not the Altitude Hold Mode is active.
- b) The transponder shall set Bit 50 in accordance with the following table:

Table 3.30.5.2.4.3: Altitude Hold Mode (Bit 50) Encoding

Bit 50	Meaning
0	Altitude Hold Not Active
1	Altitude Hold Active

c) If appropriate information is not available to indicate whether or not the Altitude Hold Mode is active, then the transponder **shall** set Bit 50 to ZERO (0).

#### 3.30.5.2.4.4 Approach Mode (Bit 51)

- a) The transponder shall accept information from an appropriate interface that indicates whether or not the Approach Mode is active.
- b) The transponder **shall** set Bit 51 in accordance to the following:

Table 3.30.5.2.4.4: Approach Mode (Bit 51) Encoding

Bit 51	Meaning
0	Approach Mode Not Active
1	Approach Mode Active

c) If appropriate information is not available to indicate whether or not the Approach Mode is active, then the transponder **shall** set Bit 51 to ZERO (0).

# 3.30.5.2.5 Reserved Bits (52, 53)

Bits 52 and 53 of Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

#### 3.30.5.2.6 Target Altitude Bits

# 3.30.5.2.6.1 Status of Target Altitude Source Bits (Bit 54)

Bit 54 **shall** indicate whether the Target Altitude Source bits (55 and 56) are actively being populated (e.g., set) in Register 40<sub>16</sub> in accordance with the following table:

Table 3.30.5.2.6.1: Status of Target Altitude Source Bits (Bit 54) Encoding

Bit 48	Meaning
0	No Source Information Provided
1	Source Information Deliberately Provided

{SC 209 to remove essentially – such word not expected in a requirement} If information is provided to the transponder to set either bit 55 or 56 (or both) to either "0" or "1", then Bit 54 **shall** be set to ONE (1). Otherwise, Bit 54 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

# 3.30.5.2.6.2 Target Altitude Source Bits (55, 56)

a) The transponder **shall** accept information from an appropriate interface that indicates the origin of the intended aircraft target altitude in accordance with the following table:

Table 3.30.5.2.6.2: Target Altitude Source (Bit 55, 56) Encoding

Bit 55, 56	Meaning
00	Unknown
0 1	Aircraft Altitude
10	FCU / MCP Selected Altitude
1 1	FMS Selected Altitude

- b) Alternatively, the transponder may accept information from an appropriate interface or source and use such information to determine the encoding of bits 55, 56 in accordance with the table provided in §3.30.5.2.6.2.a.
- c) If appropriate information is not available to establish the encoding given in either  $\S 3.30.5.2.6.2.a$  or  $\S 3.30.5.2.6.2.b$ , then bits 55 and 56 of Register  $40_{16}$  "MB" field **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

# 3.30.5.3 Minimum Update Interval of Register 40<sub>16</sub>

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 40<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is 1.0 second.

**Note:** Register 40<sub>16</sub> is updated at least once every 1.0 second.

b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 40<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 40<sub>16</sub> **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified as **1.0** seconds.

- c) If Altitude Control Panel (MCP /FCU) Selected Altitude in Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 2 through- 13 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.0 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.0 seconds), then Status Bit 1 shall be set to ZERO (0) and bits 2 -through- 13 shall be set to ZERO (0).
- d) If FMS Selected Altitude in Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 15 -through- 26 cannot be updated with valid data within **2.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **1.0** seconds), then Status Bit 14 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) and bits 15 -through- 26 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).
- e) If Barometric Pressure Setting in Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 28 -through- 39 cannot be updated with valid data within **2.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **1.0** seconds) then Status Bit 27 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) and bits 28 -through- 39 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).
- f) If the FMS Vertical Mode Bits in Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 48 -through- 51 cannot be updated with valid data within **2.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **1.0** seconds), then bits 48 -through- 51 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).
- g) If the Target Altitude Bits in Register 40<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 54 -through- 56 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.0 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.0 seconds), then bits 54 -through- 56 shall be set to ZERO (0).

# 3.30.6 Register 50<sub>16</sub> – Track and Turn report

# 3.30.6.1 Purpose and Definition

- a) Transponders **shall** format Register 50<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-80.
- b) The transponder **shall** comply with all constraints and requirements for servicing Register 50<sub>16</sub> that are provided with Table B-3-80 in Appendix B,.

#### 3.30.6.2 Data Requirements

#### 3.30.6.2.1 Roll Angle

- a) The transponder **shall** process Roll Angle data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-80 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 2 -through- 11 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) Bits 2 -through- 11 shall be encoded using two's complement coding.
- c) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit 1 **shall** be set to "1" whenever valid up-to-date data is available in bits 2 -through-
- e) Status Bit 1 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no up-to-date valid data with which to fill bits 2 -through- 11.
- f) Bits 2 –through- 11 shall be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

# 3.30.6.2.2 True Track Angle

- a) The transponder **shall** process True Track Angle data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-80 of the Register  $50_{16}$  definition table and format the data into bits 13 -through- 23 of the Register  $50_{16}$  "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) Bits 13 -through- 23 shall be encoded using two's complement coding.
- c) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit 12 shall be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 13 -through- 23.
- e) Status Bit 12 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 13 through- 23.
- f) Bits 13 –through- 23 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

#### 3.30.6.2.3 Ground Speed

- a) The transponder **shall** process valid Ground Speed data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-80 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 25 -through- 34 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- c) Status Bit 24 **shall** be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 25 -through- 34.
- d) Status Bit 24 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 25 through- 34.
- e) Bits 25 –through- 34 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

# 3.30.6.2.4 Track Angle Rate

- a) The transponder **shall** process Track Angle Rate data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-80 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 36 -through- 45 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) Bits 36 -through- 45 **shall** be encoded using two's complement coding.
- The data loaded into the "MB" field shall be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit 35 **shall** be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 36 -through- 45.
- e) Status Bit 35 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 36 through- 45.
- f) Bits 36 –through- 45 shall be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

# 3.30.6.2.5 True Airspeed (TAS)

- a) The transponder **shall** process valid True Airspeed (TAS) data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-80 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 47 -through- 56 of the Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- c) Status Bit 46 shall be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 47 -through- 56.
- d) Status Bit 46 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 47 through- 56.
- e) Bits 47 –through- 56 shall be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

# 3.30.6.3 Minimum Update Interval of Register 50<sub>16</sub>

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 50<sub>16</sub> **shall** be reloaded with valid data is 1.3 seconds.

**Note:** Register 50<sub>16</sub> is updated at least once every **1.3** seconds.

- b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 50<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 50<sub>16</sub> **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified as 1.3 seconds.
- c) If Roll Angle data in Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 2 -through- 11 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.6 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.3 seconds) then Status Bit 1 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) and bits 2 -through- 11 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).
- d) If True Track Angle data in Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 13 -through- 23 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.6 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.3 seconds), then Status Bit 12 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) and bits 13 -through- 23 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

- e) If Ground Speed data in Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 25 -through- 34 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.6 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.3 seconds) then Status Bit 24 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) and bits 25 -through- 34 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).
- f) If Track Angle Rate data in Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 36 -through- 45 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.6 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.3 seconds) then Status Bit 35 shall be set to ZERO (0) and bits 36 -through- 45 shall be set to ZERO (0).
- g) If True Airspeed (TAS) data in Register 50<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 47 -through- 56 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.6 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.3 seconds) then Status Bit 46 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) and bits 47 -through- 56 **shall** be set to ZERO (0).

# 3.30.7 Register 5F<sub>16</sub> – Quasi-Static Parameter Monitoring (Optional)

**Note:** Enhanced Surveillance does not require that Register  $5F_{16}$  be serviced. However, servicing of Register  $5F_{16}$  **is implicitly** required when servicing Register  $40_{16}$  in ICAO Doc. 9871 and Appendix B. Therefore, **if** Register  $5F_{16}$  is serviced, the following subparagraphs need to be complied with.

# 3.30.7.1 Purpose and Definition

- a) Transponders **shall** format Register 5F<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-95.
- b) The transponder **shall** comply with all constraints and requirements for servicing Register 5F<sub>16</sub> that are provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-95.

# 3.30.7.2 Enhanced Surveillance Servicing Requirements Associated with Register 5F<sub>16</sub>

#### 3.30.7.2.1 Due to MCP / FCU Selected Altitude

- a) Register  $5F_{16}$  bits 1-2 **shall** be set to "00" whenever MCP / FCU Selected Altitude data is not available to set bits 1 -through- 13 of Register  $40_{16}$ .
- b) Whenever a change is detected in the MCP / FCU Selected Altitude data used to set bits 1 through- 13 of Register  $40_{16}$ , the Register  $5F_{16}$  bits 1 2 **shall** be incremented by one.

Note 1: Effectively, the decimal count is as follows: 1, 2, 3, -- 1, 2, 3, etc.

Note 2: The binary equivalent setting bits 1,2 is as follows: 01, 10, 11, -- 01, 10, 11, etc.

#### 3.30.7.2.2 Due to FMS Selected Altitude

- a) Register  $5F_{16}$  bits 23-24 **shall** be set to "00" whenever FMS Selected Altitude data is not available to set bits 14 -through- 26 of Register  $40_{16}$ .
- b) Whenever a change is detected in the FMS Selected Altitude data used to set bits 14 -through-26 of Register  $40_{16}$ , the Register  $5F_{16}$  bits 23 24 **shall** be incremented by one.

**Note 1:** Effectively, the decimal count is as follows: 1, 2, 3, -- 1, 2, 3, etc.

Note 2: The binary equivalent setting bits 23 – 24 is as follows: 01, 10, 11, -- 01, 10, 11, etc.

#### 3.30.7.2.3 Due to Barometric Pressure Setting

- a) Register  $5F_{16}$  bits 25 26 **shall** be set to "00" whenever Barometric Pressure Setting data is not available to set bits 27 -through- 39 of Register  $40_{16}$ .
- b) Whenever a change is detected in the Barometric Pressure Setting data used to set bits 27 through- 39 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>, the Register 5F<sub>16</sub> bits 25 26 **shall** be incremented by one.

**Note 1:** Effectively, the decimal count is as follows: 1, 2, 3, -- 1, 2, 3, etc.

Note 2: The binary equivalent setting bits 25 – 26 is as follows: 01, 10, 11, -- 01, 10, 11, etc.

# 3.30.7.2.4 Due to FMS Vertical Mode

- a) Register  $5F_{16}$  bits 17 18 **shall** be set to "00" whenever Barometric Pressure Setting data is not available to set bits 48 -through- 51 of Register  $40_{16}$ .
- b) Whenever a change is detected in the FMS Vertical Mode data used to set bits 48 -through- 51 of Register 40<sub>16</sub>, the Register 5F<sub>16</sub> bits 17 18 **shall** be incremented by one.

**Note 1:** Effectively, the decimal count is as follows: 1, 2, 3, -- 1, 2, 3, etc.

Note 2: The binary equivalent setting bits 17 – 18 is as follows: 01, 10, 11, -- 01, 10, 11, etc.

# 3.30.7.2.5 Other Register 5F<sub>16</sub> Bits

Register 5F<sub>16</sub> bits 3 -through- <sub>16</sub>, 19 -through- 22, and 27 -through- 56 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) until such time that the respective parameters identified in Appendix B, Table B-3-95 are being monitored.

#### 3.30.7.3 Minimum Update Interval of Register 5F<sub>16</sub>

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 5F<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is 0.5 seconds.

**Note:** That is, that Register  $5F_{16}$  is updated at least once every **0.5** seconds.

- b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 5F<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 5F<sub>16</sub> **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified as **0.5** seconds.
- c) If a particular data field in Register 5F<sub>16</sub> cannot be updated within 1.0 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 0.5. seconds, then the data field **shall** be ZEROed (i.e., binary "00").

# 3.30.8 Register 60<sub>16</sub>- Heading and Speed Report

#### 3.30.8.1 Purpose and definition

- a) Transponders shall format Register 60<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-96.
- b) The transponder shall comply with all constraints and requirements for servicing Register 60<sub>16</sub> that are provided with Table B-3-96 in Appendix B.

# 3.30.8.2 Data Requirements

# 3.30.8.2.1 Magnetic Heading

- a) The transponder **shall** process Magnetic Heading data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table **B-3-96** of Register **60**<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits **2** -through- **12** of the Register **60**<sub>16</sub> "**MB**" field as shown in that table.
- b) Bits 2 -through- 12 shall be encoded using two's complement coding.
- The data loaded into the "MB" field shall be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit 1 shall be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 2 -through- 12.
- e) Status Bit 1 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 2 -through-12.
- f) Bits 2 -through- 12 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

# 3.30.8.2.2 Indicated Airspeed

- a) The transponder shall process Indicated Airspeed data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-96 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 14 -through- 23 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±½ LSB.
- c) Status Bit 13 shall be set to ONE (1) whenever valid data is available in bits 14 -through- 23.
- d) Status Bit 13 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 14 -through- 23.
- e) Bits 14 -through- 23 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

#### 3.30.8.2.3 Mach

- a) The transponder shall process Mach data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-96 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 25 through- 34 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±½ LSB.
- c) Status Bit 24 shall be set to ONE (1) whenever valid data is available in bits 25 -through- 34.
- d) Status Bit 24 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 25 -through- 34.
- e) Bits 25 -through- 34 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

#### 3.30.8.2.4 Barometric Altitude Rate

- a) The transponder **shall** process Barometric Altitude Rate data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-96 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 36 -through- 45 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) Bits **36** -through- **45** shall be encoded using two's complement coding.
- c) The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit 35 shall be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 36 -through- 45.
- e) Status Bit 35 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 36 through- 45.
- f) Bits 36 -through- 45 shall be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits.

# 3.30.8.2.5 Inertial Vertical Velocity

- a) The transponder **shall** process Inertial Vertical Rate data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-96 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into bits 47 -through- 56 of the Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) Bits 47-through- 56 shall be encoded using two's complement coding.
- The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit 46 shall be set to "1" whenever valid data is available in bits 47 -through- 56.
- e) Status Bit 46 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill bits 47 through- 56.
- f) Bits 47 -through- 56 **shall** be set to "0" whenever there is no valid data with which to fill the bits

# 3.30.8.3 Minimum Update Interval of register 60<sub>16</sub>

a) The minimum update interval at which Register 60<sub>16</sub> shall be reloaded with valid data is 1.0 second.

**Note:** Register 60<sub>16</sub> is updated at least once every **1.0** second.

- b) The time between availability of data that causes a change in Register 60<sub>16</sub> and the time that the change is made to Register 60<sub>16</sub> **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified as **1.0** seconds.
- c) If Magnetic Heading data in Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 2 -through- 12 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.0 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.0 seconds) then Status Bit 1 shall be set to "0" and bits 2 —through-- 12 shall be set to "0".
- d) If Indicated Airspeed data in Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 14 -through- 23 cannot be updated with valid data within **2.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **1.0** seconds) then Status Bit 13 **shall** be set to "0" and bits 14 -through- 23 shall be set to "0".

- e) If Mach data in Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 25 -through- 34 cannot be updated with valid data within **2.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **1.0** seconds) then Status Bit 24 **shall** be set to "0" and bits 25 -through- 34 shall be set to "0".
- f) If Barometric Altitude Rate data in Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 36 -through- 45 cannot be updated with valid data within **2.0** seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of **1.0** seconds) then Status Bit 35 **shall** be set to "0" and bits 36 -through- 45 shall be set to "0".
- g) If Inertial Vertical Rate data in Register 60<sub>16</sub> "MB" field bits 47 -through- 56 cannot be updated with valid data within 2.0 seconds (e.g., twice the specified minimum update interval of 1.0 seconds) then Status Bit 46 shall be set to "0" and bits 47 -through- 56 shall be set to "0".

#### 3.31 REGISTER XX<sub>16</sub> DATA FORMAT – GENERIC REQUIREMENT

The requirements described in this section shall be verified for all implemented registers (other than those already detailed in this document).

<u>Commentary RHS:</u> Replace the paragraph above with the following from DO-181D section 2.2.26.

The following subsections provide generic requirements that shall be verified when transponders implement registers that have not been defined in detail in this document.

<u>Note:</u> In the following subsections, "**ddd**" means the decimal equivalent **to**  $XX_{16}$ . For instance, for  $40_{16}$ , "**ddd**" =  $64_{10}$  = 64.

#### 3.31.1 Purpose and Definition

- a) Transponder shall format Register XX<sub>16</sub> as defined in Appendix B, Table B-3-ddd.
- b) The transponder **shall** comply with all constraints and requirements for servicing Register **XX**<sub>16</sub> that are provided with Table **B-3-ddd** in Appendix B.

#### 3.31.2 Data requirement

#### 3.31.2.1 Data-field « y »

- a) The transponder shall process data from on-board aircraft data sources as provided in Appendix B, Table B-3-ddd of Register XX<sub>16</sub> definition table and format the data into field "y" of the Register XX<sub>16</sub> "MB" field as shown in that table.
- b) Field "y" shall be encoded using two's complement coding if it is a signed arithmetic field unless otherwise specified.
- The data loaded into the "MB" field **shall** be rounded so as to preserve accuracy of the source data within ±1/2 LSB.
- d) Status Bit of field "y" shall be set to ONE (1) whenever valid and up to date data (data not older than twice the maximum update interval specified in table B1-1 in Appendix B) is available in field "v".
- e) Status Bit b0 **shall** be set to ZERO (0) whenever there is no valid up to date data with which to fill field "y".
- <u>Note 1:</u> On an ARINC platform, when data is available in BCD and in binary, transponders will preferably use binary data rather than BCD data.
- <u>Note 2:</u> When multiple sources of data are available for a given field "y", transponders will use the data source that is being used to manage the aircraft profile or the source selected by the flight crew. This general convention applies unless the highest integrity data is desired as in Automatic Dependent Surveillance Broadcast (ADS-B). In such cases, the highest integrity source will be used for data.

#### 3.31.3 Update Rate

a) The minimum update interval at which a data field in a register **shall** be reloaded with valid data is defined for each register in table B-1 in Appendix B.

- b) The transponder **shall** load valid data into the related transponder register as soon as it becomes available at the Mode S Specific Services entity.
- c) The time between availability of data that causes a change in a data-field of a register and the time that the change is made to the register **shall** be less than the minimum update interval specified in table B-1 in Appendix B.
- d) If a data-field field cannot be updated with valid data within twice the specified minimum update interval defined for the register or 2 seconds (whichever is the greater), then Status Bit (if specified) of the field **shall** be set to "0" (INVALID) and that data field shall be zeroed.

Commentary\_RHS: Modified subparagraph d) above to be consistent with DOC 9871 Appendix A, section A.2.1.1.

# 3.31.4 Servicing reporting

- a) The transponder **shall** report Mode-S Specific Services Capability Reports (installation capability) in transponder registers 18<sub>16</sub> to1C<sub>16</sub>.
- b) The transponder **shall** update the common usage GICB Capability Report (transponder register 17<sub>16</sub>) while periodically checking the availability of the related data.
- c) The transponder **shall** promptly update the Data Link Capability Report (transponder register 10<sub>16</sub> bit 25 and bit 36 and broadcast register 10<sub>16</sub> in case of change in register 10<sub>16</sub>.

# END OF ELS/EHS/GENERIC RHS